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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of Balasulojini Karunanandaa et al.
Serial No. 09/885,723
Filed June 20, 2001
Confirmation No. 3330
For TRANSGENIC PLANTS CONTAINING ALTERED LEVELS OF
STEROID COMPOUNDS

December 6, 2001

**LETTER IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING
PARTS OF APPLICATION - FILING DATE GRANTED**

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS,

SIR:

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted," dated October 29, 2001, enclosed is applicants' signed Declaration and Power of Attorney in the above-referenced application. A copy of the Notice is returned herewith.

Also enclosed is a check for \$3,504 in payment of the filing fees and surcharge.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that appears to read "Timothy B. McBride".

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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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METHOD OF PAYMENT

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the indicated fees to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.
- Applicant claims small entity status.

2. Check Enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any under payment or credit any over payment to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE Subtotal (1) \$ 710.00
(Type: Non-Provisional)
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES Subtotal (2) \$ 2,664.00
Total Claims 93 (\$1674.00)
Independent Claims 9 (\$720.00)
Multiple Dependent Claims (\$270.00)
3. ADDITIONAL FEES Subtotal (3) \$ 130.00
 - Surcharge - late filing fee or oath (\$130.00)
 - Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet
 - Extension for reply within _____ month
 - Notice of Appeal
 - Filing a Brief in Support of an appeal
 - Request for ex parte Reexamination
 - Petitions to the Commissioner
 - Submission of Information Disclosure Statement
 - Recording each patent assignment per property
 - Request for Continued Examination
 - Other: _____

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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01 FC:105	130.00 OP	FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)
02 C:101	740.00 OP	
03 C:104	280.00 OP	
04 C:102	756.00 OP	
05 C:103	76.00 CH	1598.00 OP

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$2664.
 - \$1674 for 93 total claims over 20.
 - \$720 for 9 independent claims over 3 .
 - \$270 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 3504.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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